

College Writing
Mr. McBride

Essay #2: A Place at the Table

Choose from one of the following topics and write an approximately two-page essay. Make sure you use the movie as a guide for solid specific support. Other points to note:

- Clear thesis, underlined, that shows the pattern of development and which topic you've chosen from the list below
 - Five paragraphs, including details from both the movie and from general knowledge (no other research besides info from the movie)
 - No taboo words
 - Grammatically correct (incl. spelling, varied and complete sentences, and correct punctuation)
1. Which character was the most compelling and why? Think of three components to the strength of his/her argument.
 2. Name three facts from the movie that changed your perspective about hunger in America.
 3. One in six Americans say they do not always have enough to eat. What are three factors that prevent the hungry from talking about it and/or getting help?

A draft will be due on October 30 for AC, the 31st for BD. We will have a peer review and then you will revise it in as a final draft, due the next class.